GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Allegation of corruption against Sri S.Venkatesham, LDC, Health Section, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad – Trapped on 20.5.2008 - Initiation of Departmental Proceedings against AO under Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges – Issued – Enquiry Report communicated – Imposing penalty of stoppage of one (1) annual grade increment without cumulative effect - Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.I(i)) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 839

<u>Dated:17.05.2013.</u> Read the following:-

- 1.From the Dy. Supdt. of Police, ACB, City Range-II, Hyderabad, Radio Message dated 21.5.2008.
- 2.From the DG, ACB, Hyderabad, Lr. Rc.No.113/RCT-CR2/2008-S2, dated 24.10.2008.
- 3.Govt.Memo.No.8861/Vig.I(i)/2008-1, MA&UD Deptt., dated 27.1.2009.
- 4.Charge Memo.No.2165/V&E/V2/GHMC/2008/324, dated 1.4.2009.
- 5.Explanation dated 11.5.2009 of Sri S.Venkatesham, the then LDC, Health Section, O/o AMOH, Circle-4, GHMC, Hyd.
- 6.Proc.No.2165/Vig.A/V2/GHMC/2008/50, dated 31.5.2011.
- 7.Enquiry Report dated 18.8.2012 of the Dy. Commr., Cir-7, GHMC, Hyderabad.
- 8. Memo.No.2165/Vig.A/V2/GHMC/2008/289, dated 24.8.2012 to Charged Officer.
- 9.From Sri S.Venkatgesham, LDC in Citizen's Service Centre, West Zone, GHMC, Hyderabad, Representation dated 25.9.2012.

ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, the Director General, ACB, Hyderabad has informed that the AO, Sri S.Venkatesham, LDC, Health Section, O/o Asst. Medical Officer, Health Section, Circle-IV, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Sardar Mahan, Near Charminar, Hyderabad demanded and accepted the bribe amount of Rs.1000/- from the complainant, Sri.Sri.Kata Prakash, S/o. Late K.Anjaiah, R/o. H.No.22-7-590, Miralam Mandi, Hyderabad for issuing his Birth Certificate of the Complainant and recommended to Prosecute the A.P., in a Court of Law and also to initiate departmental action against AO for non submission of Annual Property Returns to the competent authority throughout his service

2. Whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, the Commissioner & Special Officer, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad has been directed to frame charges against Sri S.Venkatesham, the then LDC, Health Section, O/o Asst. Medical Officer, Circle-4, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad, for non submission of Annual Property Returns to the competent authority throughout his service and violated Rule 9(7) APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 and contravened Rule 3(1)(2) of the said rules. In the reference 4th read above, the Commissioner & Spl. Officer, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad has framed charges against the Accused Officer. In the reference 5th read above, Sri S.Venkatesham, the then LDC, Health Section, O/o Asst. Medical Officer, Circle-4, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad has submitted his explanation.

- 3. Where as vide reference 6th read above, Smt. P.Nagaveni, Deputy Municipal Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad was appointed as Inquiry Officer and in reference 7th read above, the Inquiring Authority has submitted her report, wherein the charges framed against the A.O. are proved. The Enquiry Report was communicated to the Charged Officer, vide reference 8th read above.
- 4. And whereas, in the reference 9th read above, the Charged Officer Sri S.Venkatesham, LDC, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad, has submitted his explanation requesting to drop further action against him.
- 5. After careful examination of the matter, keeping in view the findings of the Inquiring Authority, and in consultation with advisory authority, Government have decided to impose penalty of one (1) annual grade increment without cumulative effect on the Charged Officer, Sri S.Venkatesham, LDC in Citizen's Service Centre, West Zone, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad.
- 6. Accordingly, the Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad is advised to consider and impose the punishment of One (1) annual grade increment without cumulative effect against Sri S.Venkatesham, LDC in Citizen's Service Centre, West Zone, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad.
- 7. The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.SAM BOB PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri S. Venkatesham, LDC in Citizen's Service Centre, West Zone,

Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation,

Hyderabad <u>through</u> Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Director General, ACB, Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Vigilance Commission, APVC, Hyderabad... Sf/Sc

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